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### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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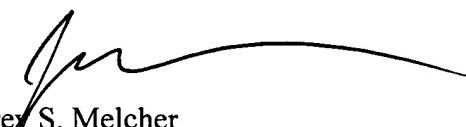
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 24, 2006, Applicant elects the invention of Group 1, claims 1-38 and 71-181 without traverse. Applicant also elects the specie MTLJ-1-Foscarnet (page 25), without traverse. Applicant submits that claims 1-21, 24-35, 73-75, and 78-165 read on the elected species.

This response is timely filed within one-month of the November 24, 2006 mailing date of the Restriction Requirement. However, please charge any required fees to have this response entered to our deposit account No. 50-0687, under order No. 62248.

Entry of this response is respectfully requested.

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